

DRAWING AMENDMENTS

In the Drawings:

The proposed drawings changes filed October 9, 2003, were objected because of informalities. Please replace Drawing Sheet 12/47, FIG. 10 with replacement Drawing Sheet 12/47, FIG. 10 (Amended). Please replace Drawing Sheet 31/47, FIG. 27B with replacement Drawing Sheet 31/47, FIG. 27B (Amended). Applicants provide formal corrected drawings to be entered if the proposed changes are accepted by the Examiner.

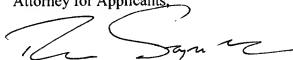
The replacement Figure 10 removes a an arrow that was informally omitted (scratched out) in the originally submitted figure. The replacement Figure 27 changes reference numeral 903 to 928, symbol A is changed to “√” and the symbol E is changed to “Ξ”.

REMARKS

Applicants have made an earnest effort to place this case in condition for allowance in light of the amendments and remarks set forth above. Applicants believe that the amendments in the specification to the priority information are supported by the Reissue Declaration filed April 26, 2006. If there are any issues still outstanding and the Examiner feels that a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of the Application, kindly telephone the undersigned at the below referenced number.

Applicants believe there are no fees due at this time, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees necessary or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0359 of ArthroCare Corporation in order to effectuate this filing.

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